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கனம் திரு. கோ. பூவராகன்: அது மூன்றாவது ஐந்தாண்டுத் திட்ட காலத்தில் நிறைவேற்றப்படுவதாக இருந்தது. தேசீய நெருக்கடி காரணமாக ஒத்திவைக்கப்பட்டு இருக்கிறது.

திரு. எம். வி. கரிவேங்கடம்: இதை மூன்றாவது ஐந்தாண்டுத் திட்ட முடிவிற்குள்ளாவது தேசீய நெருக்கடியைத் தளர்த்தி உடனடியாக நிறைவேற்ற முன் வருவார்களா?

கனம் திரு. கோ. பூவராகன்: மூன்றாவது திட்டகாலத்திற்குள் நிறைவேற்ற முடியாது என்று நினைக்கிறேன்.

கனம் சபாநாயகர்: கேள்விகள் முடிவடைந்தன.

[*Note.*—An asterisk (*) at the commencement of a speech indicates revision by the Member.]

II.—CALLING ATTENTION TO OUTBREAK OF EPIDEMICS IN NORTH ARCOT DISTRICT.

திரு. எஸ். ஜே. ராமசாமி: தலைவர் அவர்களே, வட ஆற்காடு மாவட்டத்தில் குறிப்பாக அரக்கோணம் தாலுகாவைச் சேர்ந்த மணப்பாக்கம், பள்ளூர், தக்கோலம் ஆகிய கிராமங்களில் காலரா, பெரியம்மை ஆகிய நோய்கள் பரவியுள்ளதைப் பற்றிய அவசரப் பொது முக்கியத்துவம் வாய்ந்த விஷயத்தைக் கனம் சுகாதார அமைச்சர் அவர்கள் கவனத்திற்குக் கொண்டு வருகிறேன்.

*THE HON. SRIMATHI JOTHI VENKATACHALAM: Mr. Speaker, Sir there were 120 attacks and 30 deaths in November 1964 and 128 attacks and 55 deaths in December 1964 due to Cholera in North Arcot district. The increase in the incidence of cholera cases during November and December 1964 was due to heavy rains during the latter part of November and due to the movement of people on account of the Karthigai Deepam festival at Tiruvannamalai. The District Health Officer, North Arcot, visited the affected villages. One of the Assistant Directors of Public Health inspected the control measures undertaken in the district and gave necessary instructions for the early control of the infection. As many as 9,601 anti-cholera inoculations were done in the affected villages of Vellore, Chengam, Cheyyar and Walajapet taluks. Necessary preventive measures such as disinfection of infected houses, materials, etc., chlorination of water sources and isolation and treatment of affected cases were also undertaken. It is reported by the Director of Public Health that the cholera situation is under close watch and sufficient number of Reserve Health Inspectors have been posted to the district to attend to the control work.

2. As regards incidence of small-pox, 19 attacks and 4 deaths in November 1964 and 31 attacks and 11 deaths in December 1964 have been reported in the North Arcot district. In Arkonam and Nemili Panchayat Unions alone, there were 21 attacks and six deaths due to small-pox in December 1964. There was no scare of small-pox in the villages of Arkonam taluk and only sporadic cases of small pox were reported. As many as 273 primary vaccinations and 4,231 re-vaccinations have been done in Arkonam taluk.

There was incidence of small-pox in Nemili Panchayat Union during the week ending 19—12—1964. Immediately 118 primary vaccinations and 1,149 re-vaccinations have been done in this area Necessary preventive and control measures have been instituted in the affected areas. The Public Health authorities can very easily identify whether a particular fever is due to small-pox or other causes and take action accordingly.

3. North Arcot district was free from plague during the year 1964. But rat falls were reported from Vellore Municipality during the third quarter of 1964. All plague control measures were instituted promptly to prevent any outbreak of plague.

III.—USE OF UNPARLIAMENTARY EXPRESSIONS IN THE HOUSE.

SRI M. KALYANASUNDARAM : With your permission, Sir, I want to bring to your notice about some unparliamentary remarks that were made yesterday in this House during the debate on the Governor's Address. The Hon. Speaker was not sitting in the Chair at that time. Nor was myself or the Hon. Chief Minister present at that time. I do not mind any criticism against my party. It is permissible. But one hon. Member, I think it is Sri V. Krishnamoorthy (I could recognise his voice) attacked me personally saying that I was a traitor. He is at liberty to have his own opinion. I do not expect any certificate from him. But what I say is this House is not the forum to use such harsh words. I know earlier there was some provocation for him. A circus buffoon would try to attack. . . . .

SRI P. U. SHANMUGHAM : On a point of Order, Sir. . .

MR. SPEAKER : No point of order. The Hon. Member Sri M. Kalyanasundaram is explaining his case. He is not telling a story. He is saying that such words cannot be used against him. After he finishes his speech, the Hon. Member can raise his point. I will give him a chance.

SRI M. KALYANASUNDARAM : I am not speaking on a point of personal explanation. I am raising a point of order. I am concerned with the sanctity of proceedings of this House and the record of proceedings of this House. I do not want the Hon. Member Sri V. Krishnamoorthy to withdraw his remarks. I appeal to the Hon. Speaker not to allow such words and to expunge those words from the records.

MR. SPEAKER : I am sorry I was not here at that time. Meanwhile I request hon. Members not to use words like "*அற்பத்தனமான, வெட்கமற்ற*".

THE HON. SRI M. BHAKTAVATSALAM : Conduct or action of an hon. Member could be criticised but not the persons.